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AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER,  
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REMINISCENCES.—Col. Wm. Schouler, of Boston, formerly well known as a leading Whig and an able journalist, has been writing a series of most agreeable reminiscences of public men and of celebrities of the press, which have attracted much notice and deserved commendation. The following anecdote of Mr. Calhoun not only does honor to the character of that distinguished statesman, but it exhibits the scrupulous integrity of those Southern men whom venal demagogues are so much accustomed to depreciate with their vulgar slang.—The incident may well be commended to the attention of the President and of the great body of his followers in Congress, as an example which they would do well to imitate, but which they are not likely to follow.

Sometime before 1840, Mr. Calhoun wrote to Mr. Lawrence that he had been adding to his landed estates, and would like to obtain a loan of \$10,000 or \$15,000 in Boston, where money was more plenty than in South Carolina and the rate of interest not so high, for the payment of which he would give his notes and a mortgage upon his estate, which would be ample security. Mr. Lawrence said he consulted Mr. Nathan Appleton and one or two other wealthy citizens of Boston upon the subject, and it was agreed to raise the money for him and take no security for the repayment but his own note. Mr. Lawrence informed Mr. Calhoun of the arrangement which he had made, and expressed his gratification that it was in the power of himself and a few of his friends to do a kindness to one so distinguished, whose life had been devoted to the service of his country.

Mr. Calhoun immediately wrote back, declining the offer, and withdrawing his original request. He said it did not agree with his sense of propriety to accept a loan upon such terms; that in the discharge of his public duties he did not wish to be embarrassed by a sense of obligation to any one.

William Schouler, describing the late Sam Houston as he appeared while representing the State of Texas in the U. S. Senate says: "When not speaking or writing he sat in his seat with a long-bladed knife in one hand and a piece of wood in the other, whittling. Go when you would into the Senate gallery and look upon the Senate, you would see him working with his knife upon a piece of wood, and around his chair would be the chips he had cut off. He did not appear to be working anything of use or ornament from the block he was whittling, but cut steadily on until he had used it up, when one of the pages would bring him another piece. He appeared to be a very kind-hearted man, and fond of children. He was a great favorite with the boy pages, and frequently you would see one or two of them standing by his desk, talking with him. The only peculiarity about his dress was a vest which he generally wore when in Washington. It was made of the skin of some wild beast, with the fur outside."

CALLING FOR TROOPS.—The Richmond Whig says: "In the States south of us there is a competition among the States for the U. S. troops. The Raleigh Sentinel is greedy, and wants the whole thirty thousand to be quartered in North Carolina. The Sentinel promises healthy, pleasant camping-grounds about Raleigh, and let them stay twelve months and have a vote, (says the Sentinel), 'and we will undertake to vote every man of them on the Democratic side.' This is a high bid! But Georgia wants none; so does Florida and Alabama and Louisiana; but there is South Carolina, which needs twice as many as the whole enlisted army. The people there appear only anxious to turn over the government absolutely to the United States troops. It is the only escape from the insufferable tyranny and oppression of negro and carpet-bag rule. What a commentary on Republican Government!"

AFRICAN COSTUME.—A letter in the Dayton (Ohio) Journal, from Mr. Joseph Gomer, a missionary at Shengay, West Africa, says:

All the hands about the mission have to wear clothes. One of the boatmen has living with him a sister-in-law fifteen years old, and she is frequently sent on business to the Mission House. Her usual dress and her only dress at home is several strings of beads about her waist. My wife gave her enough of calico to make what they call here a "cover slip." She got our house-woman to make it for her. When she comes here now, she carries her dress in her hand until she gets to a large oleander bush at the corner of the house. Here she slips it on; when she returns she slips it off at the same place. They "robe" everything on their heads, except their babies, if it is a bottle, a plate, or a bar of soap.

A MAN KILLED BY A HOG.—From one of our citizens who came from Baldwin City yesterday morning we learn the following particulars of a most singular and lamentable affair which occurred just before he left that place. A farmer by the name of Snively, living a mile or two south of Baldwin City, had a very peculiar, savage pig, which had got out of its pen. Mr. Snively went to drive the animal back again, when it flew at him with the greatest madness, fought him till it threw him to the ground, and continued to cut him with its tusks until the man was too weak to resist.—*Kansas Republican.*

At Nottingham County Court, a few days ago, a colored girl was found guilty by a jury of colored men, of leaving her newly-born babe in the woods to perish. When the verdict of the jury was announced, the girl's mother fainting, she was carried from the court-room into an open air, where she speedily recovered and exclaimed: "No nigger juries for me; give me white folks all de time; nigger got no sense no how."

The Deseret silver mines, purchased a short time ago by the Eureka Consolidated Company for a nominal sum, produced, in the past fourteen days, thirty tons of ore, which netted the Company over \$11,000, after paying freight and mill rates. The Company expect to have their own mills running inside of sixty days.—*Other discoveries of equally rich ore are making as the snow disappears.*

Dr. L. J. Pati, a celebrated Chinese physician in San Francisco, has sued a white man for a bill of \$230 in the Justices' Court, where he will offer his own testimony, and if refused, will apply to the United States Court for a warrant under the act of Congress passed last April, (the Ku-Klux bill,) with a view to testing the right of the State courts to deny Chinese the privilege of testifying.

## DRUGS AND CHEMICALS.

**SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR.**  
The symptoms of Liver Complaint are uneasiness and pain in the side. Sometimes the pain is in the shoulder, and is mistaken for rheumatism. The stomach is affected with loss of appetite and sickness, bowels in general constipated, sometimes alternating with laxity. The head is troubled with pain, and dull, heavy sensation, considerable loss of memory, accompanied with painful sensation of having left behind something which ought to have been done. Often complaining of weakness, debility and low spirits. Sometimes many of the above symptoms attend the disease, and at other times very few of them; but the liver is generally the organ most involved. Cure the Liver with

**DR. SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR.**  
A preparation of roots and herbs, warranted to be strictly vegetable, and can do no injury to any one. It has been used by hundreds, and known for the last 40 years as one of the most reliable, efficacious and harmless preparations ever offered to the suffering. It taken regularly and persistently, it is sure to cure

Dyspepsia, headache, jaundice, costiveness, sick headache, chronic diarrhoea, affections of the bladder, camp dysentery, affections of the kidneys, fever, nervousness, chills, diseases of the skin, impurity of the blood, eruptions on the face, heartburn, colic, anacholy, or depression of spirits, pain in the head, fever and ague, dropsy, boils, pain in the back, &c.

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**J. H. ZELLIN & CO.,**  
Druggists, Macon, Georgia.  
Price \$1. by mail \$1.25. For sale by  
JAN 16-17 **E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

**DRUG STORE.**  
Having purchased the Drug Store on the northeast corner of King and Washington sts., for a number of years past known as Milburn's Drug Store, I respectfully inform the citizens of Alexandria and vicinity that I will keep constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of all articles usually found in a first class drug store.

Particular attention will be paid to the compounding of prescriptions day and night.  
aug 31-17 **SAMUEL H. LUNT.**

**ESTABLISHED 1792.**  
**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**

DEALERS IN  
PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES,  
CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS,  
VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS,  
SPICES, ACIDS, &c.,  
Nos. 5 and 7 South Fairfax st.,  
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**COOK & CREIGHTON,** WM. F. CREIGHTON.

Wholesale and Retail Dealers in  
PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS,  
VARNISHES and OILS.  
WINDOW GLASS AND PUTTY,  
No. 107 King street.

Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country. mar 9-17

**SAMUEL H. JANNEY, MAHON H. JANNEY,**  
**JANNEY & CO.**

DEALERS IN  
PURE DRUGS, LEWIS WHITE LEAD,  
Paints, Oils and Varnishes,  
FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY,  
No. 145 King street.

Orders and Inquiries from the country promptly attended to. sep 25-17

**CABINET FURNITURE.**

**FINEST WAREHOUSES IN THE SOUTH.**

**WM. H. MUIR & SON,**

Manufacturers of  
**FURNITURE,**  
111 and 113 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

A large and fine stock always on hand. jan 25

**FURNITURE WHOLESALE & RETAIL.**

**GREEN & BROS.,** JAMES E. GREEN.

**Steam Furniture Works & Saw Mill,**  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSEHOLD, OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING, TURNING, MOULDING, PLANING and CARVING in our line.

Wanted, in exchange for Furniture, Walnut, Poplar, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs. jan 8-17

**JAMES H. DEVAUGHN,**

No. 120 King street,  
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Manufacturer and Dealer in  
**FURNITURE,**

Looking Glasses,  
Hair, Cotton Top  
and Husk Mattresses,  
kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices. sep 30-17

**C. C. BRADLEY,**

Manufacturer and Dealer in  
**FURNITURE,**

255 Corner King and Alfred streets,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
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**UNITED STATES INTL. REVENUE,**

Collector's Office, 7th Dist. of Va.,  
ALEXANDRIA, April 20, 1871.

THE ANNUAL TAXES assessed under the U. S. Internal Revenue laws are as follows:

For the year 1870 are due and payable April 30th. Special taxes for 1871 are due and payable May 1st.

The taxes as above assessed in Alexandria may be paid to me, at my office, over the Postoffice, on or before May 1st, 1871.

**E. E. WHITE,**

Collector of Internal Revenue.

If these taxes are not paid as above required, personal notice will be served, by mail or otherwise, and an additional charge incurred, according to law. ap 29-17

**A CARD.**

I respectfully invite the attention of the public to my large stock of goods, consisting in part of

SADDLES, BRIDLES and WHIPS of every variety; MORGAN'S SIDE SADDLES, a new style of the best quality; MEN'S SADDLES of all kinds; HARNESS, from the common plough wagon, cart and dray to the best Gold and Silver Mounted Carriage and Buggy Harness; FLY SHEETS, LINEN LAP SPREADS, LINEN SHEETS, &c., in great variety, together with everything generally found in a first-class Saddle establishment. Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore extended, I most respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

**W. T. HERRICK.**

**NOTICE TO FISHERMEN.**

In accordance with the joint resolution of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved November 1st, 1870, relating to the better enforcement of the law regulating the Potomac and Rappahannock fisheries, I hereby give notice that I am authorized to cruise in the Virginia Police steamer Tredgar on the Virginia shore of the Potomac, and enforce the laws relating to the said fisheries; and I call upon the citizens of the said counties bordering on the river to inform me of violations of the law, and to aid in its execution.

**ORRIS A. BROWN,**

Commander of State Steamer Tredgar.

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## RAILROADS.

**WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILROAD.**

**SPRING SCHEDULE, BEGINNING**  
MARCH 20, 1871.

Two Trains Daily, except Sundays, between Alexandria and Hamilton.

Leave Alexandria at 8.40 a. m. and 5 p. m. Arrive at Hamilton at 10.55 a. m. and 7.25 p. m.

Leave Hamilton at 5.50 a. m. and 12.15 p. m. Arrive at Alexandria at 8.05 a. m. and 2.35 p. m.

The 8.40 a. m. train from Alexandria and 12.15 p. m. train from Hamilton, connect at Hamilton with Kemp's Daily Line of Coaches for Purcellville, Snicker'sville, Berryville and Winchester; also, with Reamer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg daily for Aldie and Middleburg.

Annual tickets, sixty dollars; commutation tickets, (25 trips) at 21 cents per mile.

**R. H. HAYNER,**  
mh 13 General Ticket Agent.

**ALEXANDRIA & WASHINGTON R. R.**

**SAM'L M. SHOEMAKER,** President.  
**J. DEAN SMITH,** Treasurer.

**OSCAR A. STEVENS,** Secretary.

**Directors:**  
Richard T. Merrick, J. Dean Smith,  
George Wm. Brent, Walter Lenox,  
Oscar A. Stevens.

**DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS**  
On and after MONDAY, January 30th, 1871

Through Mail Trains leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue depot, at 7.10 a. m., for Lynchburg and intermediate stations, Sundays included, and 10.45 a. m. for Harrisonburg and intermediate stations on the Manassas Branch of the O. & A. M. R. R., Sundays excepted. Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 2.00 p. m. from Harrisonburg, Sundays excepted, and 5.30 p. m. from Lynchburg, Sundays included.

Passenger Trains leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue Depot, at 7.15, 9.15 and 11.15 a. m. and 2.00, 3.30, 4.10 and 7.10 p. m. Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4.45 and 8.30 a. m., and from the corner of King and St. Asaph streets at 6, 8 and 10.15 a. m. and 1.3 and 5 p. m.

Local Sunday Trains leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4.45 a. m. Leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue depot, at 7.10 p. m.

Through tickets can be procured at the office of the Company, corner of 9th street and Maryland Avenue, Washington, and baggage checked through.

**O. A. STEVENS,** Gen. Supt.  
**W. J. PHELPS,** Gen. Manager. jan 28-17

**ORANGE, ALEXANDRIA AND MANASSAS RAILROAD.**

On and after SUNDAY, April 30, 1871, one daily passenger train will run between WASHINGTON and LYNCHBURG, connecting at Gordonsville, with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad to Richmond, Staunton and the Virginia Springs; at Lynchburg, with the West and Southwest, and at Washington, to the North and Northwest.

Leave Washington daily at 6.55 a. m., and Alexandria at 8.00 a. m., arriving at Lynchburg at 6.05 p. m.

Leave Lynchburg at 8.25 a. m., arrive at Alexandria at 9.25 p. m., and at Washington at 6.15 p. m.

For MANASSAS LINE leave Washington daily (excepting Sunday) at 10.30 a. m., leave Alexandria at 1.20 p. m., pass Strasburg at 4.35 p. m., and arrive at Harrisonburg at 7.15 p. m.

Pass Strasburg at 9.25 a. m., arrive at Alexandria at 1.55 p. m., and at Washington in time for connecting with the 3.30 p. m. train from Washington to Baltimore.

Good connections, by comfortable coaches, are made to Fairfax, Culpeper, Home from Fairfax station to Manassas from Plains; to Upperville from Piedmont, and to Staunton from Harrisonburg.

Both the Eastward and Westward bound trains make close connection at Strasburg with the Winchester and Strasburg Railroad to Winchester, Harper's Ferry, &c.

Elegant sleeping cars are run daily between New York and Lynchburg, without change.

Also, cars through between Baltimore and Lynchburg, avoiding the inconvenience of transfer in Washington.

Through tickets and baggage checked to all prominent points.

**J. M. BROADUS,**  
General Ticket Agent.

**STEAMBOATS.**

**MERCHANTS' LINE NEW YORK**

STEAMSHIPS.

The line consists of the following first-class outside steamers:

**E. C. KNIGHT,** Capt. W. S. Johnson  
**JOHN GIBSON,** Capt. W. H. Winters

AND  
**VALLEY CITY,** Capt. Bodell

Will leave New York EVERY SATURDAY for this port, and returning, will leave Alexandria EVERY THURSDAY, at 12 o'clock.

For freight or passage apply to  
**HOVE, WEDDERBURN & CO.,**  
Agents, No. 2 Prince street.

**GEORGE B. MERRICK,**  
ap 20-17 155 South street, Pier No. 23.

**NOTICE.**

CHANGE OF STARTING TIME.

The steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. James Harrison, will leave Pier No. 5 every

TUESDAY NIGHT, at 10 o'clock, for her usual landings on the Potomac and Baltimore.

Freight received on Tuesday until 4 p. m.

Returning, she will leave Baltimore EVERY SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock.

Freight received on Friday and Saturday.

**BENONI WHEAT,** Agent.

N. B.—The Columbia will leave Baltimore Saturday next, the 4th instant.

**POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION LINE.**

**THE STEAMER EXPRESS,**

Capt. A. C. NICKLE.

Will resume her route on Tuesday, February 28, leaving Pier No. 10 Light street wharf, Baltimore, EVERY TUESDAY, at 4.15 p. m., for Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown, stopping at the following wharves on the Potomac river: Piney Point, Stone's wharf, Coburn, Chaptin wharf, Chapel Point, Mathias Point, Smith's Point, Nanjemoy Stores and Peck's wharf.

Returning, will leave Sixth st. wharf, Washington, EVERY SATURDAY, at 7 a. m., and King street wharf, Alexandria, at 7 a. m.

**J. BRODERS & CO.,**  
feb 25 No. 11 King street, Alexandria.

**NEW EXPRESS LINE**

—BETWEEN—  
**PHILADELPHIA AND ALEXANDRIA, GEORGETOWN AND WASHINGTON.**

Steamers leave regularly from Georgetown, foot of Congress street, EVERY WEDNESDAY, from Alexandria, foot of King street, EVERY THURSDAY.

Freight received daily at lowest rates.

This line connects with all the Northern, Eastern and Western Railroads and Transportation Companies, and will forward freight by all the lines running out of Philadelphia, free of commission, and gives THROUGH RATES.

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**WM. P. CLYDE & CO.,**  
No. 12 South Wharves, Philadelphia.

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**TURK'S ISLAND SALT.**

**5000 BUSHELS TURK'S ISLAND SALT**  
to arrive per schooner PIONEER for sale by

**10 BOXES PIONEER DAIRY CHEESE**  
for sale by [mh 23] HARLOW & BRO.

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**SHINN & CO.,**

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Particular attention paid to the selling of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c., at the lowest market rates.

Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brand of FAMILY FLOUR.

Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP HYDRAULIC CEMENT."

**J. BRODERS & CO.,**  
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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

GENERAL COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

Wholesale Dealers in

GROCERIES, LIQUORS, PROVISIONS, SALT FISH, and PRODUCE.

Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lumps and Ship and Naval Stores.

All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on arrival.

Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder.

XXX Ale and Porter always on hand.

Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Transportation line.

**D. D. GOULD & WILKENSING**  
No. 30 North Royal st.,  
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Dealers in GROCERIES, TEAS, COFFEES, SUGARS, WHISKEY, BRANDY, WINES, SCOTCH ALE, PORTER, &c.

Also, Eastern and Potomac SHAD, HERRING and MACKEREL.

Choice brands of SEGARS and TOBACCO always on hand.

Strict attention paid to the sale of COUNTRY PRODUCE.

**THOMAS PERRY,**

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AND AGENT FOR  
**MAGNUM BOMUM AND BAUGH'S**  
**RAW BONE PHOSPHATE,**

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Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling orders for GUANO, PLASTER, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, SEEDS, GROCERIES, Fish, Salt, Lime, &c., at lowest market rates.

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**J. F. LARKIN,**

No. 210 Seventh street,  
[Between B street and Maryland Avenue.]  
Washington, D. C.

Respectfully solicits consignments, believing he can average 10 per cent more for consignors than he did in Alexandria.

Washington, Jan 31-17

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Special attention given to the sale of Country produce.

**LUTHER D. HARRISON,**

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No. 18 North Royal street,

Respectfully solicits consignments. Sales attended to with promptness and dispatch.

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**SPRING, 1871.**

**EARTHENWARE, CHINA AND GLASS-WARE.**

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Country merchants and dealers generally are requested to call and examine my stocks and prices, as I am prepared to sell them goods at as low prices and on as favorable terms as any house in the United States.

**E. J. MILLER, 65 King**